

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

-Docket No.
L9289.01227

In Re Application Of: **Kuniyuki KAJITA**



| Application No. | Filing Date | Examiner  | Customer No. | Group Art Unit | Confirmation No. |
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| 10/018,658 | December 21, 2001 | M. Chaudry | 24257 | 2133 | 2181 |

Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CODING/DECODING

Attention
Special Application -
Subject to Expedited
Processing

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 30, 2004 above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month | <input type="checkbox"/> Two months | <input type="checkbox"/> Three months | <input type="checkbox"/> Four months | <input type="checkbox"/> Five months |
| from: <u>December 30, 2004</u> | Date | until: <u>January 30, 2005</u> | Date | |

The fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 - The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-4375
 - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-4375
 - Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.


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